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AS GOOD AS NEW
(Benny Andersson & Björn Ulvaeus)

I'll never know
why I had to go
why I had to put up
such a lousy, rotten show
how I was tough
packin' all my stuff
sayin' I don't need you
anymore. I've had enough
and now to be at me
standin' here again
cause I found out that
Ma – Ma...
my life is here
gotta have you near

As good as new
my love for you
and keepin' it that
way is my intention
as good as new
and growin' too
yes, I think it's
takin' on a new dimension
it's as good as new
my love for you
just like it used
to be and even better
as good as new
thank god, it's true
darling we were
always meant to stay together

Feel like a creep
never felt so cheap
never had a notion
that my love could
be so deep
how could I make
such a dumb mistake
now I know I'm
not entitled to
another break
but please, baby
I beg you to forgive
cause I found out that
Ma – Ma...
my life is here
gotta have you near.

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VOULEZ-VOUS
(Benny Andersson & Björn Ulvaeus)

People everywhere
a sense of expectation
hangin' in the air
givin' out a spark
across the room your eyes
are glowin' in the dark
and here we go again
we know the start
we know the end
masters of the scene
we've done it all before
and now we're back
to get some more
you know what I mean

Voulez-vous
take it now or leave it
now is all we get
nothing promised,
no regrets
voulez-vous
ain't no big decision
you know what to do
la question
c'est voulez-vous
voulez-vous

I know what you think
the girl means business
so I'll offer her a drink –
lookin' mighty proud
I see you leave your table
pushin' through the crowd
I'm really glad you came
you know the rules
you know the game
master of the scene
we've done it all before
and now we're back
to get some more
you know what I mean.

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I HAVE A DREAM
(Benny Andersson & Björn Ulvaeus)

I have a dream
a song to sing
To help me cope
with anything
If you see the wonder
of a fairy tale
you can take the future
even if you fail
I believe in angels
something good in
everything I see
I believe in angels
when I know the time
is right for me
I'll cross the stream
I have a dream

I have a dream
a fantasy
To help me through
reality
And my destination
makes it worth the while
pushing through the darkness
still another mile
I believe in angels
something good in
everything I see
I believe in angels
when I know the time
is right for me
I'll cross the stream
I have a dream

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ANGELEYES
(Benny Andersson & Bjorn Ulvaeus)

Last night I was
takin' a walk along the river
and I saw him
together with a young girl
and the look that he gave her
made me shiver
cause he always used to
look at me that way
and I thought
maybe I should walk
right up to her and say
it's a game he
likes to play

look into his angeleyes
one look and
you're hypnotized
he'll take your heart
and you must pay the price
look into his angeleyes
you'll think you're
in paradise
and one day you'll
find out he
wears a disguise
don't look too deep
into those angeleyes

sometimes when I'm lonely
I sit and think about him
and it hurts to remember
all the good times
when I thought I
could never live without him
and I wonder
does it have to be the same
every time
when I see him
will it bring back
all the pain
how can I forget that name

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THE KING HAS LOST HIS CROWN
(Benny Andersson & Bjorn Ulvaeus)

I believe
your new girl turned you down
and they say
she's pushin' you around
how does it feel
I guess it hurts your pride
tell me, my friend
how many nights you've cried.

Disaster and disgrace
the king has lost his crown
suddenly
he's clumsy like a clown
the world is upside down
the king has lost his crown.

Was it hard
to step down from your throne
and to know
tonight you're all alone
oh, what a shame
you really want that girl
she doesn't care
still you just dream of her.

Disaster and disgrace
the king has lost his crown
suddenly
he's clumsy like a clown
the world is upside down
the king has lost his crown.

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DOES YOUR MOTHER KNOW
(Benny Andersson & Björn Ulvaeus)

You're so hot
teasing me
so you're blue
but I can't take a chance
on a chick like you
It's something I couldn't do
There's that look
in your eyes
I can read in your face
that your feelings
are driving you wild
but girl you're only a child

Well I could dance with you honey
if you think it's funny
but does your mother know
that you're out
and I could chat with you baby
flirt a little maybe
but does your mother know
that you're out
Take it easy
better slow down girl
that's no way to go
Does your mother know
Take it easy
try to cool it girl
play it nice and slow
Does your mother know

I can see what you want
but you seem pretty young
to be searching
for that kind of fun
so maybe I'm not the one
You're so cute
I like your style
and I know what you mean
when you give me
a flash of that smile
but girl you're only a child

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IF IT WASN'T FOR THE NIGHTS
(Benny Andersson & Björn Ulvaeus)

I got appointments,
work I have to do
Keepin' me so busy
all the day through
They're the things
that keep me from
thinkin' of you
Oh baby I miss you so
I know I'm never
gonna make it
Oh I'm so restless
I don't care what I say
and I lose my temper
ten times a day
Still it's even worse
when the night's on it's way
It's bad
oh so bad

Somehow I'd be doin' alright
If it wasn't for the nights
I'd have courage left to fight
If it wasn't for the nights
How I fear the time when shadows start to fall
sittin' here alone and starin' at the wall
Even I could see a light
If it wasn't for the nights
Somehow I'd be doin' alright
if it wasn't for the nights

No-one to turn to
you know how it is
I was not prepared for
something like this
Now I see them clearly
the things that I miss
oh baby I feel so bad
I know I'm never gonna make it
I got my business
to help me through the day
people I must write to
bills I must pay
but everything's so
different, when
night's on it's way
It's bad
oh so bad

Somehow I'd be doin' alright
If it wasn't for the nights
I'd had courage left to fight
If it wasn't for the nights
How I fear the time when shadows start to fall
sittin' here alone and starin' at the wall
Even I could see a light
If it wasn't for the nights
Guess my future would look bright
if it wasn't for the nights

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CHIQUITITA
(Benny Andersson & Björn Ulvaeus)

Chiquitita, tell me what's wrong
You're enchained by
your own sorrow
In your eyes
There is no hope
for tomorrow
How I hate to
see you like this
There is no way
you can deny it
I can see
that you're
oh so sad, so quiet

Chiquitita, tell me the truth
I'm a shoulder
you can cry on
Your best friend
I'm the one
you must rely on
You were always
sure of yourself
Now I see you've
broken a feather
I hope
we can patch it up
together

Chiquitita
You and I know
how the heartaches
come and they go
And the scars
they're leavin'
You'll be dancin'
once again
And the pain will end
You will have
no time for grievin'

Chiquitita
You and I cry
but the sun
is still in the sky
and shining above you
Let me hear you
sing once more
Like you did before
Sing a new song
Chiquitita
Try once more
Like you did before
Sing a new song
Chiquitita

So the walls
came tumblin' down
And your love's
a blown-out candle
All is gone
and it seems
too hard to handle
Chiquitita
tell me the truth
There is no way
you can deny it
I see
that you're
oh so sad, so quiet

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LOVERS (Live A Little Longer)
(Benny Andersson & Björn Ulvaeus)

Sit down and listen
'cause I got good news for you
t'was in the papers today
some physician
had made a discovery
This is what she had to say
she said that every
result she had backed her
claiming that love's a
longevity factor so

Lovers live a little longer
baby
you and me we gotta
chance t'live twice
lovers live a little longer
ain't that nice
Lovers live a little longer
baby
what a feeling
when I hold you tight
lovers live a little longer, Yeah,

I can imagine
I see in my fantasy
I'll enjoy every day
Makin' love is a
dynamite drug, baby
so why don't we start right away
I just don't care if they're watchin'
'cause listen
we've gotta reason for each time
we're kissin' 'cause

Lovers live a little longer...

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KISSES OF FIRE
(Benny Andersson & Björn Ulvaeus)

Lay your head on my chest
so you hear every beat of my heart
Now there's nothing at all
that can keep us apart
Touch my lips
close your eyes
and see with your fingertips
things that you do
and you know
I'm crazy 'bout you

Kisses of fire
burning burning
I'm at the point
of no returning
Kisses of fire
Sweet devotions
caught in a
landslide of emotions
I've had my share
of love affairs
and they were nothing
compared to this
I'm riding higher
than the sky
and there is fire
in every kiss
Kisses of fire
Kisses of fire

When you sleep by my side
I feel safe
and I know I belong
but it's making me scared
that my love is so strong
Losing you
it's a nightmare, baby,
and to me it's new
never before
did you see
me begging for more

Kisses of fire...

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